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Examiner: S. B. Lemma

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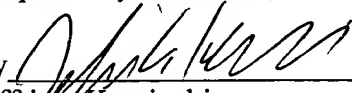
Submitted herewith is one set (eleven sheets, twelve figures) of corrected drawings for filing in the above-identified patent application.

The Examiner objected to the drawings for reasons stated in the Notice Regarding Drawings dated May 10, 2006. The enclosed new drawings correct these informalities.

Favorable consideration of the enclosed drawings is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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